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1923 CHAUTAUQUA TO CLOSE TONIGHT

HAS BEEN MOST SUCCESSFUL IN HISTORY OF ORGANIZATION

PLAY SCORES GREAT HIT

"Meanest Man In the World" Was Presented Before Vast Throng—Concert and Magician Tonight

"The Meanest Man in the World" scored a great hit before a record breaking audience at the evening's performance. It was a good comedy played by an excellent cast. The turnout for the play bespoke the success of William Keighley and his company upon other appearances in the city. With "The Meanest Man in the World" Mr. Keighley renewed such favor here.

The cast was exceptionally strong From Mr. Keighley playing the leading role, through the minor parts, there was no weak spot. The plot permitted of a diversity of characterization and room to develop the greater number to some extent. Not an apparent opportunity was overlooked in the play last night. Detail was headed. In every instance the actor fitted the role and the role harmonized with the plot. The result was a play which threw oblivion over all but the stage.

Through the entire play, William Keighley starred. Nor was this fact attributive alone to the fact that his was the principal role. His work on the stage was excellent. Carl Reed, playing a secondary role, that of Bert Nash, was strong. But likewise were all.

The play, written by Augusta MacHugh and obtained by arrangement with George M. Cohan, was primarily a comedy of the lighter type. It carried, perhaps a moral though without labored effort to moralize. It was a happy play performed by a good company. The Redpath-Vawter service had reason to point to it as a high light in the series of attractions.

Upon the vote of an American theatrical organization, William Keighley was recently named as one of the twenty greatest actors in the United States. He has been offered a number of prominent parts in the eastern circuit but has declined them all, because he likes the Middle West the best. Next year, Mr. Keighley will probably appear in "Captain Applejack."

The chautauqua program ends tonight with a combination musical and magician program which will have a general appeal. The Hipple Concert Company is giving the program this afternoon, following the final ceremonies of junior town, and tonight there will be a prelude concert by the Hipple Concert Co., beginning at 8 o'clock. This will be followed with an entertainment by Edwin Brush, the magician. Brush has been on the chautauqua circuit for twenty years, and is said to be one of the cleanest and cleverest magicians in the business.

Prelims Are On in Golf Tournament

The preliminaries of the Second Annual Championship Golf Tournament are being held at Maryville Country Club this week. Quite an interest is being taken in the tournament so far.

The qualification rounds must be played before Monday evening and these scores must be dropped into the tourney box at the club house. Announcements of the pairings for the match play will be made on the tournament card at the caddy shack. Match play will begin on Wednesday and all matches must be played off not later than three days after pairing is made. Weather permitting, no exceptions to the above rulings will be allowed.

J. H. Walker to be in Charge of Band

Prof. J. H. Walker of Maitland will be in charge of the Maryville band until September 1. C. D. Kutschinski, band director left today for his new home in Winston-Salem, N. C., and secured the services of Mr. Walker until the new band director will arrive in September.

On Buying Trip

Miss Neil Graham of the Graham Millinery store left this morning for Chicago and St. Louis on a buying trip. She expects to be gone a week.

2,000 Acres Inundated Rio Grande Waters

El Paso, Tex., Aug. 11—With 2,000 acres of lowlands under water because of high waters of the Rio Grande due to recent heavy rains, danger to more territory is believed to have passed. Levees on both sides of the river have been re-inforced after all-night work by gangs of laborers and today they reported to be holding satisfactorily with little danger of breaking. The crest of the flood passed the internation dam early this morning and the waters are expected to begin receding within the next few hours.

PAGEANT IS GIVEN BY JUNIORS TODAY

LOCAL CHILDREN STAGE PROGRAM AT CHAUTAUQUA

SHORT PLAY WAS GIVEN

Junior Work Was Under Supervision of Miss Alice Kittoe, Who Showed Remarkable Ability

The old woman who lived in a shoe evidently learned something from the deluge of advice on how to bring up children, which has appeared in the last several years. The pageant this afternoon found the mother a direct contradiction to the announcements of her first herald who stated emphatically that she "didn't know what to do." In the little pageant, the children were well disciplined and gave no sign of having been whipped soundly and sent to bed.

When the curtains were lifted, the children were singing in chorus. Immediately afterwards they left the old shoe on the stage and went in quest of wild flowers or chasing butterflies. Shortly after their departure, Uncle Sam sent word to the Old Woman that he had heard of her family and asked that he be permitted an audience in order to assure himself that those children were being brought up as coming American citizens. The request was complied with and the Old Woman called the children back. There, while Uncle Sam and attendants watched, the children were exhibited in groups, each group displaying ability in some definite line. There were folk dancers, classical dancers, acrobats, musicians, clowns. Uncle Sam expressed himself as well pleased and was given a rousing cheer.

The pageant this afternoon was under the supervision of Miss Alice Kittoe who has been in charge of the junior work here during the chautauqua.

Miss Kittoe did remarkable work here in her six days stay, and the playlet this afternoon showed her ability in gaining the confidence, enthusiasm and good will of the children.

The cast of characters was as follows:

Uncle Sam—Ralph Hahn.
The Old Woman—Genevieve Miller.
Justice—Gwendolyn Jantz.
Liberty—Winifred Todd.
Page—Frankie Westfall.

The prologue of the play was given by Eleanor Stanfield.

Dr. W. F. Burris Named District Superintendent

Dr. W. F. Burris, who for several years has been presiding elder of the St. Joseph district of the First M. E. Church, has been named district superintendent by Bishop Quayle to succeed the Rev. Ernest Snider, according to information received today by Dr. C. C. James, pastor of the First M. E. Church here. Mr. Snider probably will be transferred to the Colorado conference as he is desirous of moving there for his wife's health.

20 Million Bu. More Corn in Mo. this Year

Jefferson City, Aug. 11—An increase of 20 million bushels over last year in Missouri's corn yield and a showing of 85 per cent normal crop for this year, was reported today by E. A. Logan and Jewell Mayes of the federal and state agricultural departments. The yield it was indicated, will average thirty bushels to the acre. The rains throughout the state early in August have helped greatly this years' crop, it was said.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Saunders of Pickering were in Maryville on business today.

TWO KILLED IN MOONSHINE FEUD

CRIME WAVE SWEEPING PEERY COUNTY, KENTUCKY

ONE KILLED ON TRAIN

Men Enter Train and Instantly Kill Man Alleged To Be Murderer of Hiram Middleton

Louisville, Ky., Aug. 11:—Two men are dead and several alleged moonshiners are in jail today as the result of a crime wave sweeping this section. An organized band of moonshiners in Peery County have destroyed the meager telephone system in that remote district and the only information available here was that brought in by messengers.

Arrests in connection with the slaying of Dennie Williams were expected today. Williams, who killed Hiram Middleton in a quarrel at Kildav, Harlan County, was being taken on a train by officials to the county jail, when friends of Middleton filed into the train and killed Williams instantly.

Mother of George W. Hartley Dies

Was 85 Years Old and Lived in and Near Nodaway County for 53 Years—Funeral Tomorrow

George W. Hartley of Maryville, today received word of the death of his mother, Mrs. Louisa C. Hartley, which occurred at 10 o'clock last night at her home in Bolckow. Mrs. Hartley was 85 years old and death was the result of complications following a fall a week ago in which she broke her hip. Funeral services will be held at 1:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the Christian Church at Barnard, conducted by the Rev. N. O. Rogers of Savannah. Burial will be in the Barnard cemetery.

Mrs. Hartley was one of the pioneer settlers of north Missouri having lived in Nodaway County and Bolckow for fifty-three years. She was born in Meigs County, Ohio, October 3, 1837 and was married to Eli Hartley in 1865. Mr. Hartley has been dead for twenty-five years. She came to Missouri in 1866 and settled at Fillmore where she lived until 1870 when she moved to a farm, four miles west of Barnard, where she lived until 1903 when she moved to Bolckow.

She is survived by five children, Miss Minnie Cora Hartley, with whom she made her home in Bolckow, and Wm. M. Hartley of Bolckow, Geo. W. Hartley of Maryville, Daniel C. Hartley of Barnard, and Charles A. Hartley of Savannah.

Barbecue Closes Quitman Picnic

Wilcox and Bolckow Ball Teams Will Play off "Rubber" Game this Afternoon

This afternoon will terminate the big three day picnic at Quitman. The day will be closed by a big barbecue and a final baseball game between Wilcox and Bolckow.

The series of games between these two teams have aroused considerable interest among the people near Quitman. Each of the teams have won two games and the final game will be played between the teams this afternoon.

Yesterday's game was a 1 to 0 affair with Wilcox in the lead. The game was a pitchers battle between C. Carmichael, the Wilcox hurler, and Thorborn the Bolckow twirler. Bailey of Quitman was the official arbitrator. Mr. Bailey is a student of K. U.

Preceding the ball game this afternoon will be an address by Judge D. E. Bird of Kansas City. Tonight there will be continuous dancing there and a play by the Lockwood players.

Fourteen Women at Harmony Health Class

Mrs. Grace Bean instructed a class of fourteen women at Harmony yesterday in nursing care of communicable diseases. The meeting was held at the schoolhouse at Harmony.

Beginning next week, Mrs. Bean will deliver two lectures a week at Harmony. They will be given on Monday and Friday afternoons.

Marriage Licenses

Floyd VanValkenburg.....Harbo, Mo.
Anna Meyer.....Harbo, Mo.
Wm. D. Mann.....Council Bluffs
Leona E. Smith.....Omaha

Maryville Gun Club to Start Contest

Competition Will be for Silver Loving Cup Now Held by W. A. Tindall —Conder Issues Challenge

The Maryville Gun Club will probably start its annual inter-member contest tomorrow, if arrangements can be made. However, if the competition does not start tomorrow, it will open next Sunday at the regular range, near the Burlington depot.

Each year members of the gun participate in an open competition, for the possession of a silver loving cup. For the last two years, the cup has been won by W. A. Tindall and if he succeeds in winning it again this year, it will go to him permanently.

When any member of the local gun club challenges the holder of the cup, it opens up a contest in which the entire membership is eligible to participate. This year the challenge was issued by L. A. Conder.

A 200-target contest will be held this year and it is planned to shoot fifty each Sunday. Some of the members of the club have been shooting on the range nearly every Sunday this summer. Clay targets are used and shooting is at a range of sixteen yards. The birds are thrown from fifty to seventy-five yards.

There are about fifteen members of the Maryville Gun Club. The officers are: President, Albert Kuchs; vice-president, F. R. Marcell; secretary and treasurer, R. R. Souers.

WOMEN TO LEARN GARMENT MAKING

AT SCHOOL TO BE HELD AT ELMO NEXT WEEK

LAST ONE OF YEAR

Other Parts of State are Wanting These Schools—Several Held in Nodaway County

Preparations are being made for the garment-making school to be held at Elmo, August 14 to 17. The meetings will be held in the Elmo High School building and will be in charge of Miss Lois Martin of the extension department of the College of Agriculture of the University of Missouri.

Each School district in Lincoln township will have a representative at the school next week. She will receive instructions from Miss Martin in garment and millinery making. On returning to her district, she will establish a school and all women will receive information on these lines.

Dawson will be represented by either Mrs. Joseph Horning or Mrs. Eugene Humphrey; Lorain district will send Miss Arcile Ward; High Prairie will be represented by Mrs. E. M. Vansickle or Mrs. M. A. Atherton. ThePossum Walk district will send Mrs. L. E. Adkins; North Grove will be represented by Mrs. P. E. Bailey or Mrs. Pauline Campbell; Cottonwood will send Miss Ruth Ogden; North Prairie, Mrs. J. E. Snodderley; Union, Mrs. Henry Hopper; Wihte Chapel, Mrs. Frank Wood; Elmo, Mrs. Anna Russell and Mount Tabor will also have a representative at the garment-making school.

A number of other farm bureau communities have in application for one of these garment-making or millinery schools, R. A. Kinnaird, county agent, said this morning. However, there is so much demand from specialists in this line from other parts of the state that no other school of this kind will be held in the county this year. Other schools like the one at Elmo have already been held at Maryville Conception and Skidmore.

Bandit Gets $27,000 in Checks, $635 Cash

Chicago, Aug. 11—While hundreds of pedestrians passed by on the sidewalks below, a lone armed bandit today stopped Jerome Morris, 19 years old, a messenger, on the stairway in a downtown office building here and robbed him of $27,000 in checks and $635 in cash. The young man was employed by the Merchants and Manufacturers Securities Company, which maintains an office in this building.

Bigelow Guest Leaves

Miss Dorothy Bridgeman of Bigelow who has been the guest of Laura Margaret and Evelyn Raines for the past ten days returned to her home this morning.

MRS. HARDING IS BACK IN CAPITAL

EXHAUSTED FROM NERVOUS AND EMOTIONAL STRAIN

IS PREPARING TO LEAVE

Will Depart from White House as Soon as Possible—Greeted by Mrs. Coolidge

Washington, Aug. 11—Exhausted from the tremendous nervous and emotional strain that she has been under for the fortnight past, but calmly determined to adjust affairs and to depart from the White House as quickly as possible, Mrs. Warren G. Harding came to the executive mansion today from the burial of her husband at Marion.

The special train upon which she left Marion, the same train on which the Presidential party left the Capitol fifty-two days ago, reached Washington at 9:20 a. m.

After bidding a somewhat sad farewell to all of those of the party on the history-making trip, she entered a White House car and was driven directly to the executive mansion.

Inside the mansion Mrs. Coolidge, soon to be the new mistress, greeted her. She expressed the sympathy of herself and profferred her services in any way possible to the bereaved woman she is to succeed. Ehe also took occasion to assure Mrs. Harding that it was her and the President's wishes that she remain at the White House indefinitely. Mrs. Harding only shook her head sadly and thanked her.

Mrs. Coolidge retired shortly and returned to the temporary White House at the Willard Hotel.

Whatever fears that her doctors may have entertained that the widow of the President would collapse, were disappearing to a large extent today.

Except for the unusual pallor, accentuated by the heavy mourning and lack of strength, she appeared in excellent condition to complete the trying task of removal from the White House, which had been her home for two and a half years.

Friends of Mrs. Harding are privately somewhat indignant at the lack of consideration for her on the part of some of the under officials of the new Coolidge regime.

An order was issued even before the Harding body was returned to the Capital, placing all White House transportation under control of the new chief executive and it developed that when Mrs. Harding called a car to go to the station to escort the body of her husband back to Marion, there was no car available and she was forced to call upon friends for a car.

They are also somewhat indignant over the removal of Major O. M. Baldinger, Jr., military aid at the White House and a favorite of Mrs. Harding even before the Major had returned to Washington with the body of his chief.

There is however, no disposition to blame President Coolidge or any of his friends for the incident. Quite to the contrary, Mrs. Harding's friends feel that petty jealousies and personal animosities were responsible especially among army officers in the embarassing situations.

Many Capons Being Produced in County

Is Proving Quite Popular, R. A. Kinnaird, County Farm Agent, Said this Morning

The production of capons seems to be proving popular in Nodaway County R. A. Kinnaird said this morning.

On Thursday, Kinnaird went to the home of Glen Adams at Wilcox where he made 200 capons. Mrs. Adams is going to keep a record of the feeding costs of the capons and will have figures at the end of the season to see if it is a profitable practice on a comnercial basis.

Yesterday, Dr. Jesse Miller made about eighteen capons, and Monday, W. B. Porter of Pickering caponized about fifty cockerels, and on Tuesday, Mrs. V. A. Guthrie, northwest of Maryville, tried it out on about a dozen. A great many other persons over the County are talking about having their cockerels caponized.

Dr. Fryer on Vacation

Dr. C. P. Fryer left this morning in his automobile for Lebanon, Ky., where he will join Mrs. Fryer for a two weeks vacation. They will return to Maryville September 1.

Chinese Lecturer Lauds Mrs. Harding

Dr. Tehyi Hsieh, Chinese lecturer, paid an eloquent tribute to the late President, Warren G. Harding, and his widow, Mrs. Harding, in the opening of his chautauqua address yesterday afternoon. The tribute to Mrs. Harding, particularly, was unexpected by the audience, and Dr. Hsieh at the close of his tribute asked a Methodist minister or some other minister to lead in a short prayer for Mrs. Harding, and asked the audience to rise. Dr. C. C. James, pastor of the First M. E. Church led the prayer. Dr. Hsieh preferred a Methodist minister, he said, because he had been converted in the Methodist church. The wonderful tributes to the late President and to Mrs. Harding, coming as they did from a man of foreign birth, was doubly appreciated by the audience.

CUNO REGIME IS TOTTERING

RESIGNATION OF CHANCELLOR CABINET EXPECTED DAILY

MAY NAME STRESSEMAN

Germa nPeople Leader May Form New Cabinet—Hunger and Riots In Germany

(Bulletin)

London, Aug. 11—Chancellor Wilhelm Cuno of Germany has presented his resignation to President Ebert but was rejected, said a central news dispatch from Berlin this afternoon. The German political situation was reported as critical.

Berlin, Aug. 11—The hours of the Cuno government apparently were numbered this afternoon. The resignation of the government already is felt to be a certainty.

The chief element in the political uncertainty is whether Gustave Stressemann, of the German People's Party, who is spoken of as Chancellor Cuno's successor, would have the support of the Socialistic Party.

If the Socialists support Stressemann he may be successful in forming a cabinet representing all factions with the exception of the Communists.

Riots were narrowly averted here by the settlement of the printer's strike which had tied up the money printing presses and the payments of the banks.

The food situation continues to be desperate with hundreds and thousands facing famine. Even with a million marks in his pockets a German can be poor today. Money can buy very little even if the supplies of food could be purchased.

The farmers are boycotting the cities and refuse to accept payments in paper marks.

The government is being urged to adopt the most vigorous measures, even to the extent of imposing the death sentence upon food hoarders. It was reported recently from the Ruhr districts that Synicalist workers are threatening to go to work for the French because of the lack of funds and food. If such a movement is started it is believed here that the bulk of German workers, who have been on a strike, will follow to keep them from starving to death.

London, Aug. 11—Communist rioting broke out at Ratibon, Germany, in which four persons were killed and forty were wounded, according to Central News dispatch from Berlin this afternoon.

Troops Sent to Scene of Ill. Labor Trouble

Springfield, Ill., Aug. 11:—Fear that the labor trouble at Hillsboro, Ill., would get beyond the control of the local authorities, Governor Len Small, at the request of Sheriff Hill of Montgomery County, early today ordered ten military units to proceed at once to the scene of the threatened uprising. Col. Frank L. Taylor, upon instructions from the governor, ordered the units to proceed at once to Hillsboro in fear of an outbreak at the plant of the American Zinc and Lead Smelting Company.

Mrs. P. W. Luengen has had as her guests the past week, Mrs. J. R. Hunter and sons, James and George of St. Joseph.

COOLIDGE CABINET TO MEET TUESDAY

FIRST MEETING ANNOUNCED FOR 10 O'CLOCK

TWO MEMBERS ABSENT

Secretaries Mellon and Davis Are In Europe—Coolidge Discussed the Coal Situation

Washington, Aug. 11—The first cabinet meeting of the Coolidge administration will be held next Tuesday morning at 11 o'clock, it was officially announced this afternoon at the temporary White House.

President Coolidge issued the call informally after a series of conferences in which eight cabinet members visited him at the presidential suite. The absentee members were Secretary of the Treasury, Andrew W. Mellon, and Secretary of Labor, James J. Davis, who are abroad. It was also announced that the President would decide on Monday whether he would meet the Washington correspondents after the meeting.

The first visitors to arrive before the cabinet members were Representative Harry M. Wuerzbach, Republican of Texas and Representative Graham, Republican of Illinois. Congressman Bland discussed the coal situation with the President and upon leaving the presidential suite declared the chief executive would, "meet every exigeney arriving in the coal fields."

Washington, Aug. 11—President Coolidge returned to the Capital today and found a mass of political and executive business awaiting him. The Presidential special, which brought him back from the Harding funeral services at Marion, reached Washington at 7:55 a. m. after a record run from the Ohio town.

He arose early today eager to get back to work. The sudden resignation of Geo. B. Christian, Jr., secretary to the late president, was the chief topic of conversation aboard the train. Mr. Christian made the announcement before Coolidge left Marion and President Coolidge made the following statement:

"The President has heard the report that Mr. Christian has sent in his resignation. It has not yet been received and there is no statement to make."

It is being predicted that the President will immediately appoint Edward T. Clark, personal secretary to Mr. Coolidge to succeed Christian. Mr. Clark is one of the most popular men in the Capital and was associated with Mr. Coolidge while he occupied the vice-presidency.

President Coolidge will act firmly to prevent a cessation of work in the anthracite coal fields, it was learned today. The President is determined that there shall be no shortage of fuel during the coming winter and suffering of the people, it was declared by his closest advisors. The President will wield the proverbial "big stick" to enforce a settlement of difference between the anthracite miners and operators if necessary. He has passed this ultimatum on to other officials close to the situation, and above all things it is declared that he will not permit a strike September 1 as threatened recently when the wage negotiations were halted.

Gov. Davis of Kansas Slowly Improving

Topeka, Kan., Aug. 11—Steady improvement during the past twenty-four hours was noted in the condition of Governor Jonathan Davis, ill with typhoid fever. His temperature fluctuated between 102 and 103.

He rested fairly well last night according to the report today. The governor became restless and wants to return to his official duties but it will be several weeks before he will be permitted to return to his desk, even if he continues to improve, it was said.

94 Today

The temperature this afternoon reached 94, according to J. R. Brink, weather observer.

THE WEATHER

Partly cloudy to-night and Sunday scattered thundershowers in the east and north portions; not so warm in the north portion Sunday.

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LARGEST CIRCULATION IN NODAWAY COUNTY

CIVICS IN ALL HIGH SCHOOLS

It is the purpose of the State Department of Education that every high school without exception in Missouri shall provide a course in citizenship and a course in American history. That there are actually some high schools in the state that do not offer a course in American history is a discovery made by Supt Lee. In some high schools where it is offered the study is not obligatory, though courses in ancient and medieval history are obligatory. The history of the United States should be a required study in every such school, by the force of a state law if not by lesser authority, and no student should be permitted to graduate without an intelligent knowledge of the origin and record of his own country. Graduates who are shockingly ignorant on that subject are now occasionally encountered.

The history course suggested by Lee would include world history up to the seventeenth century in the second high school year, European history from that century down in the junior year and American history in the fourth year, with less attention than is usually given to military history and political leaders and more to "achievements of the common people." The curriculum seems an admirable one, assuming that textbooks are available treating of America in the manner indicated, and the order is, of course, logical. But when United States history is placed in the fourth year, is due account taken of the number of students who leave school prior to graduating? Should not the course be so arranged that the student who obtains but one year of high school work shall have American history before leaving, even if chronological sequence is not followed?

Formerly citizenship duties were not uniform in the case of boys and girls and interest in them was not shared alike by both. This may have been an embarassment in a citizenship course, but, if so, it is now removed. The national history is indispensable in the school preparation for citizenship, but other practical studies are found in the technical method of voting, the working of the machinery of government, especially the near-by machinery, close contact with the community activities of the place in which the high school is located. A course appealing to the present interest of the pupil as well as serving his future needs can be devised with care. The long neglect of the schools in this important matter should have an end at once. To teach the essentials of public morality and the firm principles on which democracy rests and the processes by which its verdicts are recorded and brought to realization is a function too vital to be evaded and will contribute to fewer citizenship liabilities in the coming generation and more citizenship assets of 100 per cent civic value.

As Mr. Lee says, a knowledge of the dramatic history of their own commonwealth should not be lacked by any Missourian. Now this subject is all too fragmentary and unsatisfying as taught in most Missouri schools.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

CORN AGAIN IS KING

Three billion bushels! That's the corn crop estimate for 1923, the reporting board of the United States department of agriculture placing the yield as indicated at 84 per cent in the principal corn growing areas.

As wheat slips into lower prices in the marts of the world, corn remains steady as a factor in stabilizing American agriculture. Bread is the staff of life and of its varieties none is more rich in nutriment than corn pone, egg bread and hoe cake.

Life sustaining and market sustaining, corn crowds wheat from the spotlight in the Western hemisphere and takes its place accorded by American supremacy. Corn is King! Vive le roi!—Kansas City Post.

For over 50 years Sherwin-Williams paints have lead the way, where quality and value count. Sold by Holt Supply Co.

The system of parking cars is not to be changed after all. So you can go on backing out as usual.

The world needs a recorder of deeds. Norway and Denmark are now both claiming Greenland.

They had a five minute snow in Nebraska yesterday. We could be thankful for one minute of it down here.

People may not value money as they used to, still most everybody has a soft spot in his heart for hard cash.

A fellow over at Belton, Missouri, says his business "has gone to the dogs." He is selling pups at $75 to $750 each.

If the boll weevil continues to ruin the cotton and the price continues to rise, and if some other things, maybe somebody will begin making woolen clothes out of wool.

Germany has made a valuable economic discovery which may be of value to some people in this country as well, if the lesson is heeded. It is simply this, that as the value of money goes down, the price of the commodity goes up.

William Randolph Hearst has indicated that his choice for party nominations for president is James A. Reed for the democratic nomination and Hiram Johnson for the republican nomination. The next question is, who would Hearst favor after the nomination.

Has Leased Theater at Conception Junction

Thomas Clark of the Electric Theater of this city has leased the picture show building at Conception Junction and will show pictures each Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday nights. The theater at Conception Junction will also be called the Electric.

Missouri Counties Lead in Various Industries

State Has Earned For Itself Name Of "Mother Of the West"—Hospital Has Largest Building

Columbia, Mo., Aug. 11—Many Missouri towns and communities have the distinction of leading the world and the other communities of the state in some industry or accomplishment. Missouri has earned for herself the rightful name of being the mother of the west.

The third largest ginseng farm in the United States is located just out of Benton in Scott County. There are ten acres in this farm and last year the owner refused to sell a two-acre patch of six year old ginseng for $25,000.

St. James has the best cemetery of its size in the United States. A special trip was made by Mrs. James to Paris to secure plans for the cemetery. It is modeled after the Paris cemetery.

According to the citizens of Clinton, the county seat of Henry County, Clinton has the second largest square in the world. It is 500 feet from curb to curb.

Benton, county seat of Scott County, with a population of 1,000 is the smallest town with the largest courthouse for its size in the United States.

It is claimed that the largest stalagmite in the world is located in the River cave at Hahatonka, Mo.

The only peony field in Missouri and one of the few in the United States is located near Sarcoxie, Mo. There are some sixty or seventy acres devoted to the flower. A large cut flower business has developed and flowers are shipped to every state in the United States and parts of Canada.

Missouri State Hospital No. 3 located at Nevada, Mo., is claimed to have the largest building under a single roof in the world. It measures one and three-eights around the foundation.

The largest chick hatcheries west of the Mississippi with the exception of those in California are located at Clinton, Mo. The Booth Hatchery which is one of the four located in Clinton will hatch two million chicks this season.

Mt. Vernon claims to have the largest high school campus in the state, composed of ten acres. Upon this campus is one of the best gridirons in the state too. It is claimed that within an hour after the hardest rain the field will be in condition for a game.

Cedar Gap which is 1675 feet above sea level is considered the highest railroad point in Missouri. It is about twenty-five miles west of Mountain Grove.

Jasper county with a total of sixty miles of paved roads is leading the counties of Missouri in the mileage of hard surface roads.

Richland with a population of only a thousand claims to have more sidewalks and curbing than any other tow nits size in the state. It has six miles of sidewalk and two miles of curbing.

JACKIE COOGAN AIDS NEAR EAST

JACKIE DOES HIS BIT. Bundle day for the Near East Relief in Hollywood brought a donation from Jackie Coogan for the kids in Asia Minor. Miss Elsie Mooth, Near East worker, receives the Coogan bundle.

Fifty Years Ago

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(Taken from the files of the Nodaway Democrat, August 14, 1873.)

Now as the mails leave St. Joseph for Maryville and points at 6:30 o'clock in the morning we would just inquire of the St. Joseph dailies if they cannot get their papers in the mail before that hour. Their subscribers would like it, we know, and we would feel happy.

Messrs. Burdick & Beach raised on one acre of ground this season 36 bushels of Italian wheat. The next wheat was cut, stacked and threshed by itself. Their farm is located three and a half miles south of Quitman. This certainly is a remarkably large yield, and particularly for Italian wheat.

A change in the running time of one train over the K. C. St. Joseph & C. B. Q. Railroad by this place went into effect last Monday. The passenger and mail train which formerly arrived at Maryville at 5:30 p. m. now leaves St. Joseph at 6:30 a. m. and arrives at Maryville at 8:30 a. m.

Will our exchanges please cease to announce that the State Geologist decides that Nodaway County is more than 1,000 feet above workable coal? He said that Nodaway County was in the upper measure from 1 to a 1,000 feet above the workable coal. There's the difference you see.

Dr. P. H. Talbott has cultivated eight different varieties of wheat the present year, with splendid success in some varieties.

TWENTY YEARS AGO

The executive committee of the Corn Carnival, which is to be held in Maryville, October 5 to 10, have elected Ben Litts chairman, and J. C. Johnson, secretary.

Prof. R. L. Denning, who has been head of the Maryville Seminary faculty and instructor in Languages for the past eight years, has resigned and has accepted the vice-presidency of the Northwest Missouri College at Albany, Mo.

Amos Sprecher was kicked and badly hurt by a horse Monday morning. He took the horse to a psture, and after taking the halter off, the horse turned suddenly and kicked up its heels, striking Mr. Sprecher in the stomach and breast.

A horse show will be held at Burlington Junction Sept. 23, 24, and 25. The names of the officers are a guarantee that the show will be a hummer. They are O. F. Wilson, president; J. H. Sewell vice president; W. M. Staples, treasurer; J. H. Bryant, secretary. The above will form an executive committee, with the addition of Geo. M. Knight, F. M. Compton and A. B. Caldwell.

Maryville now boasts of three automobiles. They are owned by W. J. Staples, George Conrad and Arthur Leet. The last one to arrive was Arthur Leet's and was piloted to town by himself chaperoned by George Conrad who went with him to Omaha where he bought it. They left Omaha at 9:30 Monday and reached Clarinda that evening, where they stopped over night, coming on to Maryville next morning.

The Misses Yaple are in St. Louis looking through the wholesale millinery houses.

A. J. Holt has leased the building just across the street south from Baker's Real Estate Bank to the Maryville Furniture Company, successors to the Anderson Furniture Company.

C. Ed Wells, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wells, southwest of Maryville, left Wednesday for New York City, and will then take a steamer for Santiago, Chili, via Cape Horn. He will teach science in the Santiago schools and if he likes the country will remain five years.

Fifty Years Ago

The following is from the fifty years ago column of the St. Joseph Gazette:

Judge Ira Alderman of Maryville resigned as secretary of the Nodaway Agricultural Society.

H. H. Geiger was appointed postmaster of Maryville to succeed William Anderson, who resigned.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

Parnell

Willing Workers

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Spoonemore and daughter, Edna, who are visiting relatives here went to Sheridan to visit Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Streeter Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. DeWitt and daughter Vivian, of St. Joseph are spending several days here and Mr. DeWitt is helping oversee the wrecking of the M. E. Church.

Mrs. Margaret Ringle of St. Joseph came Wednesday and is visiting the families of A. Waldeier and Andrew Schmitz.

Miss Zella Logan and brother, Lawrence and Miss Nellie Hawk, attended the picnic at Ravenwood Friday.

Mrs. Loren Long and daughter Helen are visiting here a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Shellman had as guests at dinner Friday, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Logan Mrs. Ai Cline, Mr. and Mrs. Miles Spargur and son.

Mr. G. M. Spoonemore celebrated his 80th birthday anniversary Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Bert Spoonemore, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Spoonemore, Mrs. Ernest Streeter and Mr. and Mrs. Emmit Spoonemore and daughter were guests during the day.

Mr. Roscoe Agen of Kansas City was a dinner guest of his cousin, Senator James LaFavor and wife Thursday.

Mr. Carter of St. Joseph is in Parnell this week on business.

Mrs. N. J. Judd, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Howerter and three sons of Smithsville, Ill., are visiting friends and relatives in this vicinity.

Carl Timmerman is spending several weeks sightseeing in Idaho and Utah.

Father Odillo and Father Stephens of Conception are gone for a ten days pleasure trip.

Mrs. O. O. Herndon of Kansas City came Thursday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kennedy a few days.

Miss Matie Evans left Thursday with Miss Vera Korrell for a pleasure trip to the Ozarks.

Mrs. Victor White of Dearborn, Mo., visited her sister, Mrs. J. Ransom Wednesday night.

Dr. P. E. Hood and Ray Baublits went to St. Joseph on business Friday.

Mrs. A. E. Coffman returned Friday from Kansas City where she studied spring styles.

Thirty men and boys from Parnell and vicinity met Thursday and Friday, and wrecked the M. E. Church building and the ladies served dinner and supper each day. The work on the basement for the new church will be begun at once.

Miss Matter on Motor Trip.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Kutschinski, accompanied by the latter's sister, Miss Johnny Clark of Claremore, Okla., and Miss Ruth Matter, left today in their car for their new home in Winston-Salem, N. C. The party will travel over a southern route and will visit all points of interest on the way. Miss Matter will spend a few days en route home in Columbus, Ohio, with Mrs. Gilbert S. Cox and family. Dr. Cox who has been spending the summer in study and travel abroad, will not return to Columbus until next month.

Announce Birth Of Son

Mr. and Mrs. Charles K. Kane of Chicago announce the birth of a son, born on Thursday, August 9. The baby has been named Charles Edward Kane, Jr. The baby weighed seven pounds an dthree and a half ounces.

Forumettes

Too many people's idea
Of pleasure is doing
Something which they
Can't afford to do.

Some of us are anxious to earn money and more of us are merely anxious to get it.

Have you ever noticed that the man who is always first to laugh at some body else is always the last to laugh at himself?

Many of the old timers in Maryville can remember when beaver hats were just the thing. They cost seven dollars and a man worked a whole week to get enough money to buy one.

You would think the organ of speech would be the first one in the human body to wear out from the way some people work it.

Another list of old time song titles reached us yesterday and here it is: "Silver Threads Among the Gold," "Sweet Genevieve," "Don't Take Me Home," "My Wife Has Gone to the Country" (I wish mine would) "I am on My Way to Reno," "Hello Frisco," "Casey Jones," "Hello Central Give Me Heaven," "He Walked Right in and Turned Around and Walked Right Out Again" and "Ain't You Coming Out tonight, Marry Ann" From W. A. H.

Uncle Abner, says opportunity often has to kick a man before he can see it.

The court house cynic, says he wonders what a political speaker would do, if when he pauses for a reply, he got one?

A cynical bachelor says from what he can observe the average woman's idea of an ideal husband who would give her all the money she asked for.

A lot of people get the idea when they see two men talking confidentially on some street corner that one is telling the other where he can "get it."

Louise, the stenographer, says it is always a pleasure to forgive the people who wrong our neighbors.

It may be that a woman can't throw straight but she certainly can shoot straight judging from the number of men getting killed over the country.

When father was a young man they said "money makes the mare go." Now in son's day it is the auto which makes the money go.

Vagrant Musings

A boy's idea of a hero is a boy who skips Sunday school to go fishing.

Our idea of a supreme insult is to invite a woman to a bridge party to fill in the place of some other woman who could not come.

The cut of a knife heals quicker than the cut of a tongue.

A man either marries because he is in love or is in debt.

If a girl has beauty she does not need to have sense.

Today's Vaudeville Patter

Biff—I am thinking of publishing that song I wrote under the name of John Smith.

Bang—I wouldn't do that. Just think of the perfectly innocent men who will be suspected of being the author.

Ohio Guests Expected

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Harb of Rockford Ohio, are expected to arrive in Maryville tonight for a visit at the home of Mrs. Harb's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Zimmerman.

Mrs. Charles Awalt and children, Laveta and Alice Anita, who have been visiting the past ten days in St. Joseph, arrived in Maryville this noon for a visit with her mother, Mrs. J. T. Linville.

Mr. and Mrs. P. T. Sprecher and Lewis C. Sprecher of Mount Morris, Ill, came last night for a few days visit with their brother, Amos Sprecher and family.

If You Like the Lettering

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FOR SALE

LEGAL FORMS FOR SALE—The following legal forms may be had at The Democrat-Forum office: Quit Claim Deed, House Leases, Deed of Trust, Chattle Mortgage with power of Sale, and General Warranty Deed.

BATH TUBS--$27.00. James Smith Plumbing and Heating Co. Hanamo 506 Kane Building. A2-S2

FOR SALE—Cucumbers for pickling and table use. Phone your order. Hanamo 3268. H. England. 4tf

FOR SALE—A few more shoats, good ones, H. England, Hanamo 3268. 6tf

Bargains in used cars—
1-1918 Dodge Touring.
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1-1922 Ford Touring.
Arnold-Sillers Motor Co., Dodge Brothers Sales & Service, Maryville, Mo. 10-11

HOUSEHOLD GOODS—All my household goods at private sale. Mrs. Geo. A. Pickens, 518 W. First street. 9-11

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MISCELLANEOUS

PARKER'S WONDERFUL DISCOVERY—Given in drinking water. Rids poultry of mites and lice like magic. A real tonic will not taint flesh or Egg. If you want winter layers, now is the time to clean up your flocks. Sold and Guaranteed by Gaugh and Evans. 11tf.

FOR RENT—a modern five room house and garage. Hanamo 709. 11-14*

BUY, SELL OR EXCHANGE — Stoves, furniture and rugs. Case Furniture Exchange. A2-S2

WANTED—Traveling salesman to sell highest grades Illinois and Missouri coals as a side line; commission basis only. Central Coal & Supply Co., Moberly, Mo. 4-11

WANTED—Good small farm, well located; in exchange for one of the best homes in Maryville, clear, substantial, modern, ten rooms, shade, pasture, garden and fruit, on paved street. Ideal location, splendid neighbors. See, or address Owner, Care Democrat-Forum. 6-11*

We devote all our energy to the seed business; best alfalfa seed obtainable at Smith & Braniger's 7-13*

WANTED—Man for farm work at once permanent position if satisfactory. R. T. Lamar, Elmo, Mo. 10-11

FOR RENT—Room, close in, Mrs. Gorman Powers, 504 N. Buchanan. 9-11

FOR RENT—Furnished or unfurnished rooms in modern home close to High School, 220 S. Saunders. 9-11*

WANTED TO RENT—House by September 1 or October 1. Good references. See Gus Romasser at Sheriff's office. 10-12*

FOUND—ladies' watch on East First street. Owner may have same by proving property. 1009 East First street 10-11*

Want to hear from owner having farm for sale; give particulars and lowest price. John J. Black, Chippewa Falls, Wisconsin. 11-14*

Barretts To K. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Barrett and children Erman and Elbert, will leave tomorrow for Kansas City, Kansas, where they will spend a week at the home of Mr. Barrett's sister, Mrs. W. L. Runyan. They will make the trip by motor car.

Miss Irene Lowry will leave Tuesday for Mercer, Mo., where she will visit her grandfather, W. H. Lowry, and her aunt, Miss Adelaine Lowry.

Lawrence Luke of Conception Junction was in Maryville today.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Burton of Ravenwood were in Maryville today.

Miss Eudora Allen, who is employed at the Cushman Music store is taking a two weeks vacation. Miss Nona Piese is taking her place.

Rev. W. H. Coll Died Yesterday Afternoon

Had Been Formerly Pastor of the Stanberry Catholic Church

(St. Joseph News-Press)

The Rev. William H. Coll, who has been a priest of the St. Joseph diocese for forty years, died at 1:25 o'clock Friday afternoon in St. Joseph's Hospital. Father Coll, who was the oldest Knights of Columbus chaplain in service during the World War, had been in poor health about eighteen months, and his death was not unexpected. He was sixty-seven years old.

Father Coll was born in Philadelphia, and received his early education there. He later attended the Holy Cross College at Worcester, Mass., and finished his theological studies at St. Benedictine's Allegany, N. Y. He was ordained for this diocese in 1882, and came here immediately. The late Bishop Hogan was then bishop of Kansas City and administrator of the St. Joseph diocese. He sent Father Coll to Carthage, Mo. While he was pastor there a fund was started to erect a new church, and Protestants of the city donated a square of ground for the site. However, before plans for the church were completed he was recalled by the bishop and sent to take charge of the St. Mary's Orphanage on the Pickett road. The orphanage since has been closed.

He remained at the orphanage eleven years, and during that time he conducted services at the parishes of Easton and Saxton. When Easton was made a separate parish Bishop Hogan appointed him first pastor. He immediately began plans for a new church and the edifice that he caused to be erected is still used. Later he was again sent to the orphanage. When it was closed he was made assistant pastor of St. Patrick's Church, St. Joseph, under the Very Rev. F. W. Graham. He remained there five years when he was sent to Stanberry, Mo., where he was pastor of St. Peter's Church.

While at Stanberry he built a new church and cleared the debt on it before he left. A smaller church also was erected at Ford City while he was in charge. Father Coll was at Stanberry when he entered the army as a chaplain. He was far past the age for chaplains, but he received special permission from Archbishop Hayes of New York to enter the service. He was the oldest Catholic chaplain in the army, and saw eleven months of actual service.

MARKET REPORTS

Chicago, Aug. 11 — CATTLE—Receipts, 1,000.
HOGS—Receipts, 10,000.
SHEEP—Receipts, 2,000.

St. Louis, Aug. 11—CATTLE—Receipts, 300.
HOGS—Receipts, 5,000.

Kansas City, Aug. 11—CATTLE—Receipts, 4,000.
HOGS—Receipts, 6,000.
SHEEP—Receipts, 5,000.

St. Joseph, Aug. 11—CATTLE—Receipts, 125.
HOGS—Receipts, 3,500, top $7.45.
SHEEP—Receipts, 300.
All steady.

TODAY'S MARKET

Butterfat, per lb	33c
Eggs per dozen	20c
Springs, per lb	18 and 22c
Hens, per lb	14c to 17c
Roosters, per lb	6c
Ducks, per lb	11c
Geese per lb	8c
Hides, per lb	4c

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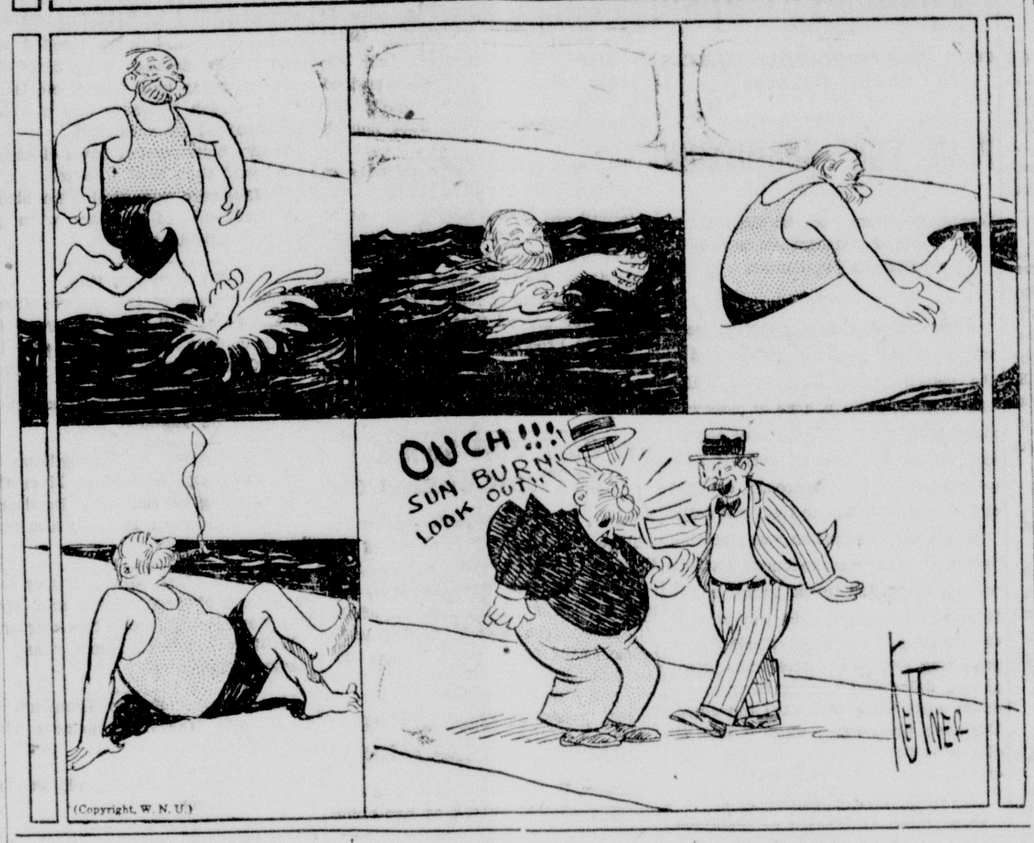

News From Over The County

Parnell Review

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Spoonemore and daughter, arrived Friday from Topeka, Kansas, and are spending this week visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Spoonemore, and other relatives and friends.

Vilas Conrad west of town is spending a week here visting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Conrad, Mrs. Emily Evans and other relatives.

B. A. Jones will return from Aurora, Ill., in a few days. He writes that he has had very good success at this place. He will ship his horses to Omaha from Aurora.

Miss Veda Ransom returned home Monday from Alton, Ia. where she visited with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Robert Vernon and little son, Robert Joseph, Jr., returned to their home in St. Joseph, Sunday after having spent two weeks in this vicinity visiting relatives.

Clearmont News

J. W. Smith and Merle Britton started Saturday, by car, for a trip to Denver, where Mr. Smith will visit his daughter, Mrs. Goldie Kelly. They expect to be gone about two weeks.

Miss Lucile Finnell and her niece, Edna Fishell, went to Excelsior Springs Tuesday for a few days visit.

Frank Bales and family of Horton, Kansas, arrived here Saturday on a visit to Mrs. Bales' father, C. W. Foreman, and other relatives.

Mrs. Carrie Nelson and daughter, from Colby, Kan., arrived here Monday evening on a visit to Mrs. Nelson's parents, W. H. Sowers and wife.

Guilford Times

Mrs. W. H. Watson, who has been with her daughter, Mrs. Hazel Jeannin, in Pennsylvania, arrived in Guilford Saturday morning to visit her daughter, Mrs. George Weathermon and family and on Monday she went to Savannah, accompanied by her daughter, to be treated at the Nicolas sanitarium for cancer.

Miss Hazel Pugh of Maryville was the guest of Miss Alice Thompson Saturday night and Sunday.

Miss Esther Zerbs of St. Joseph was here visiting at the homes of Mrs. Rena Wilson and daughter, Lulu and Mrs. Sarah Carter, Mrs. Carter's daughter, Mrs. Clarence Battreall of Cincinnati is visiting here yet.

Ravenwood Gazette

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McLaughlan left Wednesday on a vacation of two weeks which will be spent at Coffeyville, Kan., and at points in Oklahoma.

Mrs. Stella Porter and daughters, Frances and Audrey of Maryville are guests this week at the home of Mrs. Porter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. West.

Mrs. Jennie Swartz and two daughters of Fort Scott, Kans., visited from Thursday until Monday at the homes of Mrs. Swartz's aunts, Mrs. Phebe Mow and Mrs. Fred Lyle. Mrs. Swartz is a daughter of Hiram Lyle, a former resident of Jackson township.

Mr. and Mrs. Dorse Conn returned Sunday from a months visit with Mrs. Conn's parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. V. Duncan at Denver, Colo. While there they motored to Cheyenne, Wyo., and attended the Frontier Day Celebration.

Skidmore News

Mrs. Josephine Stout went to Nodaway, Mo., yesterday to visit her daughter, Mrs. I. W. Haynes. Her granddaughter, Gertrude Haynes, will accompany her home to start to school this fall.

Abe Loucks who was taken to the Maryville hospital about three weeks ago and underwent an operation was brought home Sunday afternoon. Mr. Loucks is getting along very well and keeps slowly improving.

Miss Edith Porter who has been in Lewiston, Idaho, for the past two years, came Thursday of last week, for an indefinite visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Porter and family.

Miss Margaret Norton had as dinner guests last Wednesday evening, Mrs. O. L. Meeker, Mrs. Opal Welling, and Miss Florence Jordan.

Superintendent Pierce received a B. S. degree, Miss Snelling an A. B. degree and Miss Lettie Rodman a 60-hour certificate at the summer school at Maryville.

Hopkins Journal

Considerable excitement was created in west Hopkins last Saturday when a child of William Traster was missing, later being found in the tile that runs under the Burlington trestle, north of the depot, where the child had been placed by some thoughtless older children. The child was imprisoned for several hours and had a train come up, death would have resulted before the child was rescued.

E. C. Wolfers and son, Robert, and Maurice Wolfers left Tuesday noon in the former's car for Des Moines to look after business interests.

Halbert Clutter and Miss Norma Hann of St. Joseph were guests over Sunday in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Clutter.

Miss Frances Beinert returned Friday from Andalusia, Ala., where she attended the summer school of music Miss Beinert was graduated from William Woods college, Fulton, Mo, this spring.

Elmo Register

Miss Ruby Riley of Graham was elected to teach the primary room in the Elmo school in the place of Miss Mabel McCumber, resigned.

Earl Hopper left for home at Dennis, Kansas, Tuesday afternoon. His son, Garth, who has been here during the summer went with him and will remain at home and go to school this winter.

Stephen Geo. Lamar and his friend, Mr. John Snyder, of Fairbury, Nebr., who has been visiting at the Lamar home this week, left Wednesday for a two weeks outing trip thru the Ozarks and the State Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. John McKnight and two children, Don and Esther, and Miss Harriet Nelson, from Albion, Neb., arrived Friday for an extended visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Pruitt. A family reunion was held in their honor at Crystal Lake on Saturday evening.

Burlington Junction Post

Dr F. W. Edmonds has moved from Council Bluffs, Ia., to Burlington Junction and has rented the property of his brother in the south part of town. Dr. Edmonds is an optometrist and will practice his profession here. Burlington Junction is his old home town and his many friends here are glad to welcome him back into our midst.

Mrs. E. C. Preston of Hartford, Conn, who has been visiting her cousins, Mrs. Patrick Cummins and Simon Ryan, the past two weeks, left for her home Monday evening. She left over the Wabash and went by way of St. Louis.

Miss Margaret Neville of Kansas City and Paul Miller of Maryville spent the week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Fordyce.

Misses Ollie and Addie Carpenter and niece, Miss Virginia Carpenter, left Saturday night for Denver, Colo., where they will spend the month of August with Mrs. Paul Newlon and visit other points of interest in the West.

Miss Anna Cooper of Maryville is a guest at the Dr. Trusty home this week.

SWIMMING INSTRUCTIONS

Why is relaxation so important in swimming and how may it be acquired?

Answered by
BILL BACHRACH

Illinois Athletic Club; most famous and successful of all swimming coaches; has turned out champions such as Johnny Weissmuller, world's fastest swimmer; Norman Ross, Sibyl Bauer, Perry McGillivray, Harry Hebner, Arthur Raithel, Bob Skelton, and Mike McDermott.

Because without it you cannot be at home in the water, you cannot endure, your muscles will be knotted and tensed and your breathing constricted. Without physical relaxation you cannot have metal poise and presence of mind for proper breath control. Without breath control in the water you are helpless. Unlike any other athlete, the swimmer's muscles must not be tense. Relaxation is acquired by first learning breath control to gain mental poise.

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Obituary.

Melvina A. Belcher was born August 9, 1849, in Virginia, and died August 7, 1923. In 1868 she was united in marriage to Rufus K. Belcher, who died nine years ago. To this union ten children were born. One son, Samuel, and two daughters, Mrs. Jennie Lynch and Mrs. Viola Belcher, preceded her in death. Those surviving are E. R. Belcher, with whom she made her home; James F., Edward A., John T., Luther G., and Virgil K. Belcher, all of Maryville, and one daughter, Mrs. Rosa Workman of Adrian, Mo. The latter was unable to attend her mother's funeral. Eleven grandchildren and three great grandchildren also survive. She united with the Methodist Church when quite young and asked all the children to meet her. The palibearers were her six sons. The funeral was held August 9 at the home of her son with whom she lived, conducted by Dr. C. C. James. Burial was in Oak Hill cemetery, east of Maryville.

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F. E. Tallman Buys Out His Partner

Former Maryville Barber Now Sole Owner Of Shop At Fairfax

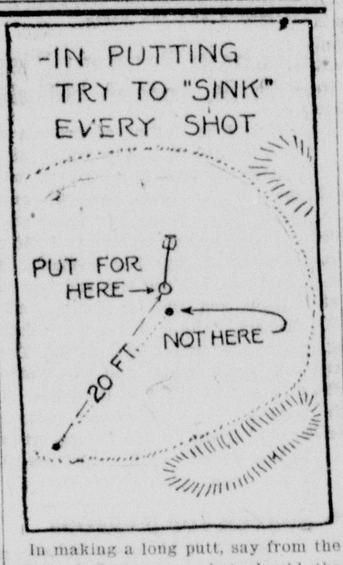
(Fairfax Forum)

On last Friday a deal was completed whereby F. E. Tallman, became sole owner of the barber shop which for the past year has been conducted by the firm of Todd & Tallman. Mr. Tallman will continue to conduct the business. He has procured the services of Rall Johnson, of Skidmore, who will have charge of the third chair in the shop.

William Todd, the retiring member of the old firm, with his wife and little daughter, left Wednesday for Kansas City where they will visit for a time. From there they will go to Polo, for a visit with Mr. Todd's parents. Further than that, Mr. Todd's plans for the future were not learned.

Mr. Tallman and Mr. Todd were former residents of Maryville.

Golf Pointers



In making a long putt, say from the edge of the green, what should the player do?

Answered by
PHIL GAUDIN

Medalist, British open championship; Captain of British international golf team; member of that team for eight consecutive years. Winner of numerous foreign tournaments, including Manchester Guardian trophy.

The first thing to do, as in any case of putting, is to size up the distance. Next, while you are taking your stance, pick the line to the hole and have it well in mind as you prepare to hit the ball. When you do hit the ball, hit it hard enough to make it go to the cup. Even though you are playing a twenty-foot putt, aim to sink it instead of merely trying to get a good position for the next putt. The chances are that you will miss a putt of length, of course, but you will be in a much better position, as a rule than if you had merely played for position instead of trying to hole in.

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Visiting In Colorado

Miss Mary Wooldridge and her grandmother, Mrs. H. B. Torrance left Monday for Hugo, Colo., where they will visit Miss Wooldridge's father. They expect to spend a week in the mountains before they return to Maryville about September 1.

Card of Thanks

We desire to thank the many friends, relatives and neighbors for the kindnesses and sympathy shown during the illness and death of our beloved wife, sister an daunt; also for the beautiful floral offerings.

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Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Moon
Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bratcher

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Ozark Soil Produces Good Crops this Year

Instructor In College Of Agriculture Says This Year Has Been Good Season

Columbia, Mo., Aug. 11—The rocky uplands of the Ozarks are producing a good crop of corn and tomatoes this year. According to W. H. Albrecht, of the soils department of the College of Agriculture of the University of Missouri, this is an unusually good season for the farmers in this region.

On many hillsides that are apparently nothing but small rocks you will see corn and tomatoes growing. One wonders how any kind of a crop can be raised at all. But the only difference in cultivating this soil and the soil free from rocks is that you have to have more patience. The soil is a blackstone gravel and loam mixed with a clarkville silt and loam which is good soil for tomato raising.

Albrecht said that probably this year would be the farmer's best year for many years to come. This year the rainfall has been sufficient to mature the crops an dprobably there would not be another year like this for a long time. In 1918 by the middle of July the corn and tomatoes were all burned out because of the lack of rain. Of course this condition exists only in the uplands among the rocky country where the water level is very low.

S. T. Brown of Harrison, Ark., said tomatoes were well adapted to this region because of the supply of lime in the subsoil. These fields of tomatoes growing upon apparently nothing but rocks may be found scattered throughout the Ozark region. When there is a good season tomatoes are plentiful but a good season comes about once every six years.

ST. FRANCIS HOSPITAL NOTES

Those admitted to the St. Francis hospital during the past week include Mitchell Foster, Maryville, Mrs. H. T. Crane, Maryville; Beverly Martin, Maryville; Mrs. James Crosson, Fairfax; Mrs. Jimmy Mayhugh, Forest City; Cleo Mitchell, Quitman; Mrs. D. E. Snyder, Gravity; E. M. Boyd, Conception Junction; Edna Sturm, Maryville; Master Elmer Larison, Sheridan; Mrs. George Barton, Maryville; Paul Spencer, Bedford, Ia.; Lucile Gaugh, Maryville; R. M. O'Grady, Conway, Ia.; Master Francis Tobin, Maryville; Frances Jackson, Skidmore; Pauline Jones, Bedford, Ia.; Mrs. L. E. Forsyth, Maryville; and Mrs. Murray Welling, Maryville.

Those dismissed from the hospital include H. A. Russell, Hopkins; Roy Watson, Elmo; Morris Gillisite, Maryville; Paul Spencer, Bedford, Ia.; E. M. Boyd, Conception Junction; Mrs. George Barton, Maryville; Master Eamer Larison, Sheridan; Cleo Mitchell, Quitman R. M. O'Grady, Conway, Ia.; Mitchell Foster, Maryville; Mertie Hutchinson, Parnell; Lucile Gaugh, Maryville; Mrs. Della Houchins, Ravenwood; Katherine Estelle, Gravity, Ia.; Mrs. T. P. Roberts, New Market, Ia.; and Mrs. Frank Crum, Maryville.

Fred Conners from Maitland was in Maryville today.

Notice — If your chickens are sick, let me examine one or two free of charge. Specializing in chicken and swine diseases. Farmers 52-16; Han. 470. R. L. Wohlford, Veterinarian, Maryville, Mo.

COCKERELS FOR SALE

5 months old, from the Shaw strain of layers, that have lead and are now leading the international laying contest at Lansing, Mich. Price $5.00 each.

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SOCIETY

James Dinner Guests

Miss Martha James entertained at 12 o'clock dinner today at her home on East Park Ave. Covers were laid for Miss Leona Weller of Maitland, Miss Gertrude Summers of Maitland, Mr. and Mrs J. E. James and the hostess.

Picnic, Swimming and Line Party

A number of young people will enjoy a picnic supper, a swim at the Aley pool and a line party at the Empire Theater Monday night. Those in the party will be Misses Alice Welling, Alice McMurry, Audrey Craig, Ruth Bookman, Ora Mae Condon, Mabel Cook, Matie Price, Marie Cloud Evelyn Raines, Vivian Buhler, Margaret Remus, Ruth Houchens and Laveta Epperson.

Mozingo Valley H. K. G. Club.

The Mozingo Valley H. K. G. club met Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Arthur Wray and Mrs. W. E. Bloomfield hostesses at the home of the latter near Pickering. After the regular business meeting the afternoon was spent in quilting. Refreshments were served by the hostesses assisted by Miss Olevia Bloomfield. The next regular meeting of the club will be with Mrs. Arthur Morrison on August 23.

Married at Cheyenne

Miss Loretta, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Kensler of Cheyenne, Wyo. and Edward, only son of Mr. J. William Corcoran of Conception Junction, Mo., were united in marriage at St. Mary's Cathedral in Cheyenne, at 7:00 a. m., Thursday, August 2, 1923. Rt. Rev. Bishop McGovern, officiating. They were attended by Mrs. Flora Hayes, sister of the bride, and S. E. Savage of Conception Junction, brother-in-law of the groom.—Conception Junction Courier.

To Entertain Y. W. A.

Mrs. Bruce Montgomery will entertain the members of Y. W. A. of the First Baptist Church at her home on West Third street Monday evening. Games will be played and Mrs. L. E. White, district organizer, of Y. W. A. will talk to the girls. The members include Mrs. Lee Knox, Misses Alyce Allen, Dorothy England, Mary Coe, Gladys Busby, Hilda Denny, Evelyn Raines, Eudora Allen, Helen Tebow, Mabel Raines, Hettie Mae Woodward, Viva Cloud, Esther Gile, Dorothy White, Florence Puckett, Irene Lowry Loretta Jones, Rebecca Briggs, Neri Robinson, and Zona Robinson.

Bloomfield Needlework Club

The Bloomfield Needle Work Club met Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Bryan Hanna. The afternoon was spent socially and refreshments were served by the hostess assisted by Misses Maude Bernice and Annabell Hollensbe and Clair, Edith and Ethlyn Hanna. The members present were: Mrs. Marvin Carmichael, Mrs. John McClurg, Mrs. Earl McClurg, Mrs. Oland Ringgold, Mrs. Joseph Lamport, Mrs. Burley Swalley, Mrs. Glade Wiley, Mrs. Ed Hanna, Mrs. J. H. Hanna, Mrs. George Hantz, Misses Nannie and Della McNeal, Miss Neva McClurg. The guests at the meeting were Mrs. Roland Rickard and daughter Beatrice, Misses Maude, Bernice and Annabell Hollensbe, Lerita and Lawrence Hanna, Misses Clair, Ethlyn and Edith Hanna, Eleanor Carmichael, Robert and Charles Hanna and Geraldine and Marceline Wiley. The next meeting will be an election of officers. Every member is asked to be present. A miscellaneous shower will be given for Mrs. Oland Ringgold, who was recently married.

For Illinois Guests

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Appleby entertained at 6 o'clock dinner yesterday evening in honor of Mrs. W. W. Billings and children, Edgar and Louise, of Troy, Ill. Covers were laid for the honor guests, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Thomas, Mrs. J. J. Armstrong, Miss Mina Armstrong, Mrs. Roe Elkins of Parnell, Robert Gallagher and the hosts.

Myrick Dinner Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Myrick of Burlington Junction will entertain at 6 o'clock dinner tonight. Covers will be laid for Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sewell and children, Quenten, Francis and Mary Cecil of Holdredge, Neb., Mr. and Mrs. John Sewell and son, John Jr., of Maryville and the hosts.

Graham Resident Dies in St. Joseph Hospital

Mrs. John Collins of Graham died at 3:15 o'clock this morning at the Sister's Hospital in St. Joseph, where she was taken about three weeks ago. Death was caused by spinal paralysis. She was forty-one years old and is survived by her husband, two daughters, Ida and Eva and two sons, Russell and Charles Collins, all of Graham. Other surviving relatives include a sister, Mrs. C. W. Treadway of California; and two brothers, Will Brooks and Don Burguess. The body arrived in Quitman today for burial. Plans for the funeral will not be completed until relatives are heard from.

Search for Negroes With 2 White Women

Lima, O., Aug. 11—Posses are combing a dozen counties in northern Ohio this afternoon in search for two negroes last seen in Wapakoneta with two white women, bound and gagged and held in their auto. They came south from Wapakoneta and were headed towards Lima. The alarm was sounded by Sheriff Bob Ewing of Wapakoneta.

To Kansas City Yesterday

Mrs. Harold R. O'Banion left yesterday for Kansas City where she will meet Mr. O'Banion as he returns from Ft. Sill, Okla., and they will go from there to Polo, Mo., for a visit with Mrs. O'Banion's mother and sister.

Married at Parsonage

Miss Leona E. Smith of Omaha, Nebr., was married to William D. Mann of Council Bluffs by the Rev. R. E. Snodgrass at the Christian church parsonage this morning at 11 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Arnold and son, Glen, of Parnell were in Maryville today.

Paul Griffey of Parnell was a business visitor in Maryville this morning.

Mrs. Charles Reedlinger and Mrs. Conrad Reedlinger of Conception Junction were visitors in Maryville today.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads

Empire Theatre

Tonight

DOROTHY DALTON, in

"DARK SECRETS"

10c Also comedy 22c and 3c

A PLEASANT PLACE FOR GENTLE FOLKS.

TO ENTER ON FINAL PHASE NEXT WEEK

CODE CONVENTION IS MAKING RAPID PROGRESS

PLAN FOR SUBMISSION

Recommendations to be Offered in Form of Amendments to the Present Constitution

Jefferson City, Aug. 11—Next week will mark the beginning of the end of the constitutional convention which has been in session here at intervals since May, 1922. Thirteen of the 15 articles of the present Constitution, as amended, will be ready at that time for submission to final roll calls.

While the convention was deciding yesterday that its recommendations will be submitted to the people in the form of amendments to the present Constitution, President Shartel was preparing letters and telegrams to all absent delegates, urging their attendance next week and until the close. For each proposition must obtain 42 of the 83 votes in the body before it can be submitted to the voters.

Committee's Plan Accepted

In deciding to present amendments to the fundamental law of the State, rather than a revised constitution to be voted upon as a whole, the convention accepted the advice of its committee on Submission and Address to the People, of which Joshua L. Alexander of Gallatin is chairman. Only five negative votes were cast against the proposal, which received 40 "ayes."

Friends of the idea, which first was advanced months ago by C. H. McClure of Warrensburg, a delegate, pointed out that much of the structure of the present Constitution will be retained, even should all of the suggested changes be accepted. Many of the proposed alterations are generally approved. A few, on the contrary, are highly controversial. It is held that it would be unfair to the State to jeopardize the entire work of the convention, which will have been completed at considerable expense, by enabling foes of three or four propositions to unite to defeat the entire document to insure the destruction of the sections they oppose.

Expense Of Other States

The experience of New York and Illinois, whose revised constitutions submitted as entities, were defeated through antagonism to a few sections and those of Massachusetts, Michigan and Nebraska, which obtained adoption of most of their revision, submitted as amendments, were accepted as fair criterions.

The date of adjournment of the convention is difficult to foretell from the possibility of a tieup over this districting question. Gov. Hyde is very anxious for the body to wind up and quit. In fact, he has delayed calling a special election for the submission of a supplementary issue of soldier-bonus bonds in the hope that he could submit that and the proposed revision of the Constitution at the same election. Whether members of the convention will favor this plan is not known, though it is believed they will ask for sufficiently long campaign period in which to inform the voters of the meaning of the proposed changes.

The Constitution requires that the work of the convention shall be submitted not less than 60 days nor more than six months after it adjourns.

Services for Wayne Manley will be Monday

Verne Manley received word yesterday that his brother, Wayne Manley of Clewiston, Fla., was killed by a tractor there Thursday. No particulars of the accident are known. The body is on its way to Maryville, accompanied by the family and will arrive here tomorrow night. Funeral services will be held at the Ed Hamlin home Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock conducted by the Rev. R. E. Snodgrass.

Mr. Manley was born February 26, 1903 in Maryville. The family moved away from here in 1906. He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Manley, Clewiston, Fla., two sisters, Mrs. Homer Taylor, Clewiston, Fla., and Miss Vancene, at home, a half-sister, Mrs. Ed Hamlin, Maryville, a half-brother, Verne Manley, also of Maryville, and two brothers, Kenneth of Huron, South Dakota, and Merville, at home. His grandmother, Mrs. J. M. Manley of Maryville also survives.

Mrs. Foster Wallace went to St. Joseph this morning.

Mrs. Mary Hill returned last night from Savannah, where she has been visiting relatives several days.

British Send Another Reparation Note to Paris

London, Aug. 11—The foreign office expects to forward a note to Paris this evening expressing Great Britain's dissapointment at the French Ruhr policy. It is understood that the communication rejects the French suggestions for debt concellation.

The note is said to be friendly in tone but emphatic in wording.

There has been an undercurrent of dissatisfaction with Premier Stanley Baldwin's reparations views for several days. He is accused of not having any definite policies. The talk is also going around that he had given in to the Pro-French Die-hards in the cabinet and has agreed to support France after a show of apparent opposition.

Dr. Curl Will Speak at Picnic Tomorrow

Dr. O. L. Curl, prosecuting attorney, will be the speaker at a picnic of the Pleasant Grove community to be held tomorrow at the Britton Grove, one mile north and a half mile west of the Pleasant Grove church, twelve miles northwest of Maryville. A basket dinner will be served at noon.

Mrs. Lovell Dies After Several Months Illness

Mrs. F. D. Lovell, colored, died this morning at 4:30 o'clock at her home following a several months illness. She was operated on last fall and since that time has been in failing health. She is survived by her husband, one sister, Mrs. Sophie Madison of St. Louis, who was with her at the time of her death. Two sons, George Lovell at home, and Clarence Lovell of St. Louis also survive.

Funeral services will be held at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the A. M. E. Church, conducted by presiding elder, M. S. Bryant of Liberty, Mo. Burial will be in Oak Hill cemetery.

Virginia Home Bought by Wilson

Former President Wilson is said to have purchased this old Virginia homestead, located in Fairfax county, Va., his native state. The mansion is between Lewinsville and Tysons Corners, about ten miles west of Washington.

Pickets in Boston Phone Strike

Here are some of Boston's striking telephone girls who are picketing the various exchanges throughout the city. All New England is affected by the strike.

GATHERED FACTS

Of 145,000 employed boys in New York state 30 per cent had left school at fourteen or earlier.

During the Nineteenth century the population of the world grew from 640,000,000 to 1,600,000,000.

Trachoma, a preventable eye disease, is especially prevalent among reservation Indians in Minnesota.

John Henry Steadman, who founded the Christmas Candle association, died in New Jersey recently.

Every known variety of British tree, it is claimed, grows in the park of Blackadder, near Berwick-on-Tweed, England.

With the completion of a new cable way tourists will be transported in 90 minutes from summer heat to arctic cold on Mont Blanc.

1 Killed in Chicago Electrical Storm

Chicago, Aug. 11—An undentified man was killed by lightning and hundreds of cellars were flooded and considerable damage to property was inflicted today by a violent electrical, which struck Chicago, this morning, accompanied by a rainfall.

Heavy bolts rippled down electrical wires and then to the ground.

Surface cars were stalled for blocks and hundreds of workers were delayed in getting to work.

To Atchison, Kan.

John Murrin of the Corwin-Murrin Clothing Co., will leave tomorrow for Atchison, Kan., to visit his son, Dr. John Owen Murrin and Mrs. Murrin.

William Greevier of Fairfax was in Maryville on business today.

Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Boydston of Eldorado, Kan., arrived in Maryville this morning to visit Mrs. Boydson's sister, Mrs. James H. Tapp and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Evans and daughters, Mildred, Helen and Marjory went to St. Joseph this morning.

William Lamb of Elmo was in Maryville today.

Mr. and Mrs. Fowler Hamilton of Elmo were Maryville business visitors today.

Cecil Long of St. Joseph was in Maryville today.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Goff and daughter, Mrs. Ollie Briet, of Barnard were in Maryville yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Till Briet of Guilford were shopping in Maryville yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Armstrong of Barnard were business visitors in Maryville today.

Miss Jesse Summers of Maryville, who has been visiting friends and relatives in Kansas City and Excelsior Springs the past few days will return home tonight.

1924 CHAUTAUQUA CONTRACT SIGNED

PAPERS DRAWN UP AT MEETING THIS MORNING

H. C. TOOD HEAD ASSN.

H. W. Hull, Elected Vice-President and D. E. Hotchkin, Sec.-Treas.—Over 180 Guarantors Signed

The Maryville Chautauqua Association, through its officers officially signed the contract this morning with the Redpath-Vawter Company for the 1924 chautauqua. This assures Maryville of a Redpath-Vawter program for next year.

The officers of the association, elected for the next year are: President, Harry C. Todd, vice-president, H. W. Hull, secretary-treasurer, D. E. Hotchkin.

The programs for this year's chautauqua have been par-excellent. Good crowds have been in attendance despite the bad roads and inclement weather. The lectures have been most instructive and the entertainment features have been accorded a splendid reception.

Over 180 guarantors had affixed their names to the contract this morning and several more are expected.

The following are the guarantors who have signed the guarantee list for next year:

E. E. Akers, Katie Lee Allan, C. D. Allen, Albert Appleby, M. E. Bell, D. O. Belt, W. M. Blackford, L. F. Bosch, J. A. Briggs, Mrs. W. H. Burr, George C. Butts, J. E. Carpenter, Mrs. L. L. Catterson, Hal Catterson, J. A. Clark.

B. F. Cline, Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Colvin, J. A. Cooper, Mrs. J. W. Cornell, J. W. Cornell, A. J. Cox, Alice F. Cox, Mrs. Emma DeMoss, James M. Danner, George Fred Davis, Eva M. Davis, Charles DeNeen, J. D. Dickerson, Walter Dickey, Mrs. S. J. Donahue.

W. J. Dreyer, Mrs. Vada Halley, Leo J. Halasey, Mrs. Ed Hamlin, J. M. Hantze, C. R. Harmon, Laura B. Hawkins, C. J. Hogan, D. E. Hotchkin, E. M. Houchens, Wilmer Hubbard, Nell Hudson, Dale M. Hughes, C. M. Hull.

J. F. Hull, H. W. Hull, C. L. Gann, Mrs. W. O. Garrett, L. J. Geiss, W. E. Goforth, John M. Graves, Mrs. Theodore Gray, W. M. Griffey, Mrs. Emma Eckles, N. G. Ellis, Charles Epperson, J. R. Evans, R. M. Evans, William Everhart, Mrs. William Everhart.

Joe Everhart, Mrs. Joe Everhart, Harry Fisher, Halley Ford, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Ford, A. K. Frank, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Frank, F. H. French, Mrs. Catherine G. Jackson, L. V. Jackson, J. E. James, C. N. Johnson, Mrs. Fred W. Jameson, Alfred Jones, Raymond T. Jones.

S. H. Kemp, F. S. King, Fred Kurtz, Jr., Uel W. Lamkin, R. W. Larmer, F. B. Lasell, W. B. Lasell, H. W. Leech, Mrs. M. P. Lisfchild, Roy Lippman, J. R. Lowry, G. W. Lucas, Mrs. E. Lunsford, S. G. Massie.

Anna McNellis, Helen McNellis, Mrs. Pearl Miller, F. C. Miller, D. D. Miller, Claude E. Moore, Guy R. Mutz, J. D. Mutz, N. F. Murray, Geo. R. Murray, Ada L. Needles, A. C. Nicholas, T. J. Puckett, HarryA. Price, C. M. Price.

J. P. Price, John A. Quinn, Eul M. Ramsey, W. L. Rhodes, J. D. Richey, Russell Robey, F. P. Robinson, Mrs. J. B. Robinson, R. C. Seal, M. E. Seleeman, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Shades, C. M. Shelton, A. Frank Sims, R. E. Snodgrass.

W. W. Stanfield, Jonathan Stark, F. W. Steele, Hugh Strong, L. R. Strong, J. A. Speirs, William W. Swinford, Charles C. Tebow, Kenney Tebow, J. L. Tebow, Harold E. Tebow, J. D. Thompson, Mrs. Bess Thorp, J. H. Thorp, H. C. Todd.

James Todd, Mrs. H. C. Todd, L. B. Tracy, E. B. Trullinger, Charles Turner, Blanche E. Walker, Geo. O. Wallace, R. F. Wallace, Mrs. Geo. Wallace, Mrs. Herbert Wamsley, G. H. Wamsley, S. H. Wells, J. C. White L. E. White.

Garland N. White, J. B. Whitehead, J. C. Whitehead, Ernest Willhoyte, A. L. Williams, Roland Wray, Mrs. Roland Wray, Ralph Wray, H. E. Wright, Thomas S. Young, Isaac Young, Ray L. Zimmerman, Mr. and Mrs. Karl E. Zimmerman.

Farm Bureaus Will Join in Big Picnic

The farm bureaus of Clay and adjoining counties will have an all-day picnic on the William Jewell College grounds next Thursday. J. W. Coverdale of Iowa, secretary of the American Farm Bureau Federation will make an address at the meeting.

Hellmers Leave Tomorrow

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hellmers and children, Betty and Junior, will leave tomorrow morning for Twinsburg, Ohio, where they will visit Mr. Hellmers' aunt, Mrs. W. S. Snyder and Mr. Snyder, His mother, Mrs. G. W. Simons of Memphis, Tenn., will also be a guest at the Snyder home. The trip will be made in the Hellmers car and will be made via Chichago and the return trip via St. Louis.

Are Visiting Here

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McComas and daughter, Rosalie, of Liberty, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Tebow this week. Mr. McComas is a brother of Mrs. Tebow.

On St. Joseph Market

E. W. Pierce sold four cars of hogs, J. C. Meek sold two cars of hogs from Nodaway County on the market in St. Joseph Saturday.

On Vacation Trip

Mrs. Flossie Miller, cashier of the F. W. Woolworth store and son, Dean Goff Miller, left this morning for a two weeks vacation trip at Butler, Mo., where they will visit S. S. Miller and family. Miss Juvernia Goff will take over the cashier work during Mrs. Miller's absence.

Miss Sewell Coming

Miss Gladys Sewell will go to Graham tomorrow to spend the day with her aunt an duncle, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Freytag. Her cousin, Miss Lois Freytag of Omaha, Neb., will return with her and spend several days at the John Sewell home.

To Atchison, Kan.

Mrs. Tom Parle and son, Francis, left this morning for Atchison, Kan., where they will visit Mrs. Parles' daughter, Sister Augusta at the Mt. Scholastica school there.

To Kansas City

Mrs. J. S. Shinabargar left this morning for Kansas City, where she will spend a few days visiting her brothers, C. C. Mitchell and E. M. Mitchell.

E. W. Jackson, an employee of the Townsend Retail store will leave tomorrow for Fillmore to visit his mother, Mrs. E. J. Hays, and later will go to Rockport to visit his brother, John Hays and family. He expects to be gone a week.

Mrs. W. W. Turner and children Billy and Mary Jane, who have been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Barrett, will leave in the morning for Maitland for a visit there before returning to their home at Petersburg, Ill.

B. A. Mitchell and Vern Mitchell of Burlington Junction were in Maryville on business today.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Jennings of Stanberry were in Maryville on business today.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Baker of Mound City were Maryville business visitors today.

THE SWIMMING POOL WILL NOT BE OPEN TOMORROW, UNTIL ABOUT 2 O'CLOCK, ON ACCOUNT OF EMPTING AND REFILLING THE POOL. WILL BE OPEN UNTIL USUAL TIME TONIGHT.

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